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Suriname: draft resolution

Human Rights Education

The Economic and Social Council,

Taking into account resolution 1993/56 of the Commission on Human Rights regarding the importance of human rights education as a priority in education policies,[1]

Convinced that human rights education and information is in the best interests of particularly vulnerable segments of society, such as children, youth, women, older persons, indigenous people, minorities, the rural and urban poor, migrant workers, refugees, persons with HIV/AIDs and disabled persons,

[1] See *Official Records of the Economic and Social Council, 1993, Supplement No. 3* (E/1993/23), chap. II, sect. A.

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Recognizing the importance of the mid-term global evaluation of the United Nations Decade for Human Rights Education undertaken by the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights as contained in the report of the High Commissioner,[2]

Taking into account the recommendations of the mid-term global evaluation of the United Nations Decade for Human Rights Education (1995-2004),

1. *Calls upon* all Governments to reaffirm their commitments and obligations to develop national strategies for human rights education that are comprehensive, participatory and effective, which can be embodied in a national plan of action for human rights education as part of the national development plan;

2. *Invites* the United Nations intergovernmental organizations, the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization and other relevant intergovernmental organizations to adopt a system-wide approach to the United Nations Decade for Human Rights Education;

3. *Also invites* regional human rights organizations, agencies and networks (of women, the media, trade unions, enterpreneurs, religious denominations etc.) to develop human rights education programmes and human rights training programmes and strategies for wider distribution of material on human rights education in all possible languages;

4. *Requests* non-governmental organizations to develop and implement strategies to encourage and assist Governments in fulfilling their obligation to integrate human rights education into all levels of education for children, youth and adults, and to help monitor these strategies.

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Coordination, programme and other questions: malaria and diarrhoeal diseases, in particular cholera

Draft resolution submitted by the Vice-President of the Council, Mr. Ivan Simonović (Croatia), on the basis of informal consultations

Implementation of the plan of action for the eradication of tsetse flies from Africa

The Economic and Social Council,

Having considered the report of the Secretary-General on the role of the United Nations system in supporting the efforts of African countries to achieve sustainable development,[1]

Taking note with appreciation of the ongoing efforts to fight sleeping sickness, in particular the programme for the surveillance and control of African trypanosomiasis,

1. *Calls attention* to the seriousness of the tsetse and trypanosomiasis problem and its increasing significance as a constraint to Africa's sustainable development and the alleviation of rural poverty;

[1] E/2001/83.

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2. *Takes note* of the decision of the Assembly of Heads of State and Government of the Organization of African Unity to free Africa of tsetse flies;[2]

3. *Welcomes* the Organization of African Unity plan of action for a campaign to achieve the goal of the Pan-African Tsetse and Trypanosomiasis Eradication Campaign initiative;

4. *Calls upon* all Member States, organizations of the United Nations system and the international community to fully support this initiative.

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[2] AHG Dec. 10 (XXXVII).

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Coordination, programme and other questions: long-term programme of support for Haiti

Draft resolution submitted by the Vice-President of the Council, Mr. Ivan Simonovic (Croatia) on the basis of informal consultations

Long-term programme of support for Haiti

The Economic and Social Council,

Recalling its resolution 1999/11 of 27 July 1999 and its decision 2000/235 of 27 July 2000,

Taking note of the comprehensive report of the Secretary-General on the long-term programme of support for Haiti,[1]

Welcoming the key role being played by the Organization of American States and the Caribbean Community in supporting the efforts of the Haitian Government and people to resolve the political, social and economic crisis,

Requests the Secretary-General to report to it at its substantive session of 2002 on progress achieved in elaborating a long-term programme of support for Haiti and on the practical modalities for its implementation.

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Pakistan and Saudi Arabia: draft decision

Confidentiality of the 1503 (confidential communications) procedure

The Economic and Social Council, in accordance with paragraph 9 of its resolution 2000/3 of 16 June 2000, reaffirms the principle of confidentiality at all stages of the 1503 procedure and requests the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights to discontinue its practice of forwarding confidential monthly lists to the Division for the Advancement of Women of the United Nations Secretariat.

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Economic and environmental questions: environment

Draft resolution submitted by the Vice-President of the Council, Mr. Ivan Simonović (Croatia), on the basis of informal consultations

Protection against products harmful to health and the environment

The Economic and Social Council,

Recalling General Assembly resolutions 37/137 of 17 December 1982, 38/149 of 19 December 1983, 39/229 of 18 December 1984 and 44/226 of 22 December 1989, General Assembly decisions 47/439 of 22 December 1992 and 50/431 of 20 December 1995, and Council resolution 1998/41 of 30 July 1998,

Having considered the report of the Secretary-General on products harmful to health and the environment,[1] which contains a review of the Consolidated List of Products Whose Consumption and/or Sale Have Been Banned, Withdrawn, Severely Restricted or Not Approved by Governments,[2]

Taking note of the fact that an increasing number of countries participate in the preparation of the Consolidated List,

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[1] A/56/115-E/2001/92.

[2] For previous issues of the Consolidated List, see United Nations publications, Sales Nos. E.84.IV.8, E.87.IV.1, E.91.IV.4, E.94.IV.3 and E.97.IV.2.

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Noting with satisfaction the continued close collaboration between the United Nations, the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations, the World Health Organization, the United Nations Environment Programme and the World Trade Organization in the preparation and dissemination of the Consolidated List,

1. *Expresses its appreciation* for the cooperation extended by Governments in the preparation of the Consolidated List of Products Whose Consumption and/or Sale Have Been Banned, Withdrawn, Severely Restricted or Not Approved by Governments, and urges all Governments, in particular those that have not yet done so, to provide the necessary information to relevant organizations for inclusion in future issues of the Consolidated List;

2. *Requests* the Secretary-General to prepare each of the two issuances of the Consolidated List, pharmaceuticals and chemicals, in all official languages - the English version in the already established format, and the versions in the other languages as a text file. In this connection, the Consolidated List should continue to include previously collected data, while at the same time making distinct entries for those products covered in the interim prior informed consent procedure, in line with the Rotterdam Convention on the Prior Informed Consent Procedure for Certain Hazardous Chemicals and Pesticides in International Trade,[3] and should consequently keep updating the information contained therein, in accordance with relevant action being taken by the Convention;

3. *Invites* multilateral and bilateral agencies to continue to strengthen and coordinate their activities for improving the capacity-building of developing countries, particularly least developed countries, including innovative methodologies for earmarking, assessing and monitoring technical assistance in the area of the sound management of hazardous chemicals and dangerous pharmaceutical products;

4. *Emphasizes* the need to continue to utilize the work being undertaken by relevant organizations of the United Nations system and other intergovernmental organizations in this area, as well as that being carried out under international agreements and conventions in related areas in updating the Consolidated List;

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[3] UNEP/FAO/PIC/CONF/5, annex III.

5. *Requests* the Secretary-General to continue to report every three years, in accordance with General Assembly resolution 39/229, on the implementation of the present resolution and of previous Assembly resolutions on the same subject;

6. *Requests* the Secretary-General, within existing resources, to continue to disseminate the list as widely as possible and to look at the possibility of using on-line dissemination in collaboration with the World Trade Organization, the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations, the World Health Organization and the United Nations Environment Programme.

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Draft decision submitted by the Vice-President of the Council, Mr. Ivan Simonović (Croatia), on the basis of informal consultations

Third United Nations Conference on the Least Developed Countries

The Economic and Social Council, recalling paragraph 111 of the Programme of Action for the Least Developed Countries for the decade 2001-2010, adopted by the Third United Nations Conference on the Least Developed Countries in Brussels on 20 May 2001,[1] decides to revert to this issue at its resumed substantive session.

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Coordination, programme and other questions: international cooperation in the field of informatics

Draft resolution submitted by the Vice-President of the Council, H.E. Mr. Ivan Simonović (Croatia) on the basis of informal consultations

The need to harmonize and improve United Nations informatics systems for optimal utilization and accessibility by all States

The Economic and Social Council,

Recognizing the interest of Member States in taking full advantage of information and communications technologies for the acceleration of economic and social development,

Recalling its previous resolutions on the need to harmonize and improve United Nations information systems for optimal utilization and access by all States, with due regard to all official languages,

Stressing the need to ensure complementarities between the mandates of the Ad Hoc Open-ended Working Group on Informatics and of the Information and Communication Technologies Task Force,

Welcoming the report presented by the Chairman of the Working Group on the progress achieved so far in fulfilling the Working Group's mandate,[1]

[1] See E/2001/96.

1. *Reiterates* once again the high priority that it attaches to easy, economical, uncomplicated and unhindered access for States Members and observers of the United Nations, as well as non-governmental organizations accredited to the United Nations, to the computerized databases and information systems and services of the United Nations, provided that the unhindered access of non-governmental organizations shall not prejudice the access of Member States and that it shall not impose an additional financial burden for the use of databases and other systems;

2. *Requests* the President of the Economic and Social Council to convene the Ad Hoc Open-ended Working Group on Informatics for one more year to enable it to carry out, from within existing resources, its work of facilitating the successful implementation of the initiatives being taken by the Secretary-General with regard to the use of information technology and of continuing the implementation of measures required to achieve its objectives. In this regard, the Working Group is requested to continue:

(a) To improve electronic connectivity via the Internet for all Member States in their capitals and at major United Nations locations, *inter alia*, through the enhanced connectivity of permanent missions to the Internet and the United Nations databases;

(b) To improve the access of Member States to a wider database of United Nations information on economic and social, development and political issues and other substantive programming areas, and to have all official documents available via the Internet;

(c) To improve electronic links among Member States, the United Nations and its specialized agencies;

(d) To provide training for the staff of permanent missions to enable them to take full advantage of the facilities being developed for Member States;

(e) To enhance the capacity of Member States to access United Nations data on-line, using low-cost telecommunications links or providing other modalities, such as CD-ROM, whereby Member States can have access to specialized databases not available on the Internet;

(f) To make arrangements, as appropriate, to provide permanent missions of developing countries with hardware platforms to utilize Internet technology;

(g) To use video-conferencing on a more frequent basis, as appropriate, to further communication and interaction within the United Nations system and between the United Nations, permanent missions and academic institutions;

(h) To intensify contacts with the private sector so as to bring the latter's wealth of experience contribute positively to the work of the Working Group;

(i) To make greater use of projector/screen units for negotiations;

(j) To establish a password-protected system of mailing lists and bulletin boards on the United Nations Web site to facilitate the dissemination of information among the United Nations missions;

(k) To explore ways to fully use the potential of information and communication technologies in order to speed up translation processes;

3. *Supports* the efforts of the Working Group to keep intact the network of national focal points that was established in connection with the year 2000 problem as a vehicle for the diffusion of best practices and lessons learned, in particular for the exchange of information on locally and regionally appropriate solutions and, in this regard, appeals once again to countries and other sources to provide the extrabudgetary resources necessary to maintain the mailing list of the national focal points;

4. *Requests* the Secretary-General to extend full cooperation to the Working Group and to give priority to implementing its recommendations;

5. *Also requests* the Secretary-General to report to the Council at its substantive session of 2002 on the action taken to follow up the present resolution, including the findings of the Working Group.

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Implementation of General Assembly resolutions 50/227 and 52/12 B

Draft resolution submitted by the Vice-President of the Council, Mr. Ivan Simonović (Croatia), on the basis of informal consultations

Implementation of General Assembly resolutions 50/227 and 52/12 B: improving the working methods of the functional commissions of the Economic and Social Council

The Economic and Social Council,

Recalling General Assembly resolutions 50/227 of 24 May 1996 and 52/12 B of 19 December 1997, and its resolutions 1996/43 of 26 July 1996, 1998/46 and 1998/47 of 31 July 1998, 1998/49 of 16 December 1998, 1999/1 of 2 February 1999 and 1999/51 of 29 July 1999,

Having considered the consolidated report of the Secretary-General on the work of the functional commissions of the Economic and Social Council,[1]

1. *Welcomes* the progress made in implementing the provisions of General Assembly resolutions 50/227 and 52/12 B;

[1] E/2001/95.

2. *Recognizes* that the consolidated report of the outcomes of the functional commissions, that looks at the linkages between them and highlights the key points on which the Council needs to consider taking action, is a useful tool with respect to its coordination function;

3. *Invites* its functional commissions to provide concise, action-oriented input to its annual high-level and/or coordination segments, for example by utilizing, as applicable, their standing agenda item on new trends and emerging issues affecting the overall goals within their mandates;

4. *Requests* the Secretary-General to include, in the next consolidated report, an analysis of the practice of its functional commissions in the preparation of draft resolutions for action by the Council or the General Assembly with a view to elaborating guidelines addressed to the functional commissions on the submission of draft proposals to the Council;

5. *Encourages* its functional commissions to consider how best to ensure continuity in the work of their successive bureaux, and to that end requests the Secretary-General to include a summary of the functional commissions' views, if any, in the next consolidated report;

6. *Requests* the Secretary-General to provide the functional commissions with comprehensive information on all existing multi-year work programmes and special themes in order for them to maintain and increase their coordination and collaboration at the planning and formulation stage of such programmes, and encourages those functional commissions that choose annual themes for a special debate to take into consideration the work of other commissions;

7. *Also requests* the Secretary-General to submit to the Council, when it considers the themes for its high-level and coordination segments, information about the functional commissions' multi-year work programmes;

8. *Encourages* the functional commissions to continue to keep their working methods under review;

9. *Urges* its functional commissions to further develop opportunities for sharing national experience during annual sessions, in particular with regard to the implementation of conference outcomes, and to allocate an appropriate amount of time for that purpose at their annual sessions;

10. *Encourages* its functional commissions to consider, as appropriate and within existing resources, holding joint bureaux meetings to discuss coordination on issues that are addressed by two or more commissions, using information technology, as required;

11. *Also encourages* its functional commissions, within existing resources, to share more systematically the outcome of their work, including through communications among chairpersons or through briefings by the Secretariat;

12. *Further encourages* its functional commissions to identify similar or related topics and, in this context, requests the Secretary General, *inter alia*, to present a joint report on such topics, where appropriate;

13. *Requests* the Secretary-General, where this is not yet being done, to provide each of the functional commissions, for their consideration, with concise notes on actions already planned or undertaken by them, or to propose steps they could take to follow up the Council's policy guidance;

14. *Welcomes* the attention given by its functional commissions to the follow-up to the outcome of the substantive session of 2000 of the Council and to a number of main themes, issues and approaches, facilitating policy coherence and effectiveness in these areas;

15. *Invites* its relevant functional commissions to assess, in greater depth, the impact of particular policies on achieving poverty eradication goals, and to identify good practices and lessons learned so as to increase the sharing of knowledge, including among functional commissions themselves;

16. *Also invites* its functional commissions to strengthen their attention to the role of information and communication technologies for development in their areas of responsibility;

17. *Welcomes* its functional commissions' efforts to mainstream a gender perspective in their work;

18. *Encourages* its functional commissions to continue to coordinate their work, in particular in areas of common interest, by, for example, biennializing items or making use of joint reports;

19. *Agrees* to take steps to integrate the outcome of the special session of the General Assembly on HIV/AIDS into its own work, based on the decision of that special session, and requests the functional commissions to do the same for effective implementation and follow-up;

20. *Welcomes* the attention given by several of its functional commissions to cross-cutting dimensions in relation to all aspects of human settlements, and invites relevant commissions to seek greater interaction on these issues;

21. *Invites* its functional commissions to provide further inputs into the Council's own work on means of implementation, including the role of resource mobilization, capacity-building, research and data collection, and information- and knowledge-sharing in their respective areas, with a particular focus on impact, gaps, good practices and lessons learned, and the types of capacity-building most commonly sought in the implementation of the outcomes of major United Nations conferences and summits, including the Millennium Summit;

22. *Also invites* its functional commissions to continue to explore opportunities for effective and productive contribution to their work by relevant stakeholders;

23. *Requests* the Secretary-General to submit to the Council at its substantive session of 2002 a consolidated report on the work of the functional commissions.

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Draft resolution submitted by the Vice-President of the Council Mr. Ivan Simonović (Croatia), on the basis of informal consultations

Integrated and coordinated implementation of and follow-up to the outcomes of the major United Nations conferences and summits

The Economic and Social Council,

Welcoming the resolve, expressed by heads of State and Government in the United Nations Millennium Declaration,[1] to strengthen further the Economic and Social Council, building on its recent achievements, to help it fulfil the role ascribed to it in the Charter of the United Nations,

Recalling that the goals and targets in the economic, social and related fields contained in the Millennium Declaration[2] and the outcomes of the major United Nations conferences and summits, supplemented by the outcomes of their reviews, constitute a comprehensive basis for actions at the national, regional and international levels,

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[1] General Assembly resolution 55/2.

[2] See ibid., para. 19.

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Reaffirming its commitment to promote a coordinated and integrated follow-up to and implementation of the outcomes of the major United Nations conferences and summits and the reviews of their implementation,

Recalling its agreed conclusions 1995/1 and 2000/2 and its relevant resolutions on the integrated and coordinated implementation of the outcomes of and follow-up to major United Nations conferences and summits,

Having considered the report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of agreed conclusions 2000/2 of the coordination segment of the Council on the integrated and coordinated conference follow-up, in particular the views expressed by functional commissions,[3]

Recognizing the need to continue to enhance its contribution to the coordination and implementation of the outcomes of the major United Nations conferences and summits by bringing together relevant cross-cutting issues in a comprehensive and holistic assessment of progress achieved,

1. *Recalls* that the General Assembly, the Economic and Social Council and the relevant functional commissions or, as appropriate, other relevant bodies of the United Nations system, will continue to play, within their respective mandates, the primary role with regard to follow-up and in coordinating and implementing the outcomes of the United Nations conferences and summits;

2. *Reiterates* its commitment to assist the General Assembly in its overall responsibilities in follow-up to the United Nations Millennium Declaration,[1] in compliance with General Assembly resolution 55/162 of 14 December 2000 and the outcomes of major United Nations conferences and summits and the reviews of their implementation, as well as in achieving the international development targets;

3. *Underlines* the specific responsibilities of the relevant functional commissions and, as appropriate, other relevant bodies of the United Nations system, in reviewing and assessing progress achieved, lessons learned and problems encountered in the implementation of the outcomes of major United Nations conferences and summits;

4. *Recommends* that the General Assembly examine how best to address the reviews of the implementation of the outcomes of the major United Nations conferences and summits of the 1990s, including their format and periodicity;

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[3] E/2001/73.

5. *Decides* to strengthen the links with relevant functional commissions and other relevant bodies of the United Nations system, including regional commissions, in follow-up to conferences and summits, by reviewing progress in the implementation of cross-cutting issues, and to strengthen links with the General Assembly by bringing to its attention overall policy issues that might emerge from such follow-up and might require the Assembly's consideration;

6. *Encourages* the participation of all relevant stakeholders, including the private sector, in maintaining and strengthening momentum for building partnerships in pursuit of the goals of the Millennium Summit and of other conferences;

7. *Requests* the Secretary-General to submit a report to the Council at its substantive session of 2002 on the implementation of the present resolution, ensuring full integration between the review and follow-up processes of the Millennium Summit and of other conferences and summits.

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Social and human rights questions: social development

Draft resolution submitted by the Vice-President of the Council, Mr. Ivan Šimonović (Croatia) on the basis of informal consultations

Global campaign for poverty eradication

The Economic and Social Council,

Recalling that the General Assembly invited the Council to consolidate the ongoing initiatives and actions established in the Copenhagen Declaration and Programme of Action,[1] the first United Nations Decade for the Eradication of Poverty (1997-2006) and the recommendations contained in the outcome of the twenty-fourth special session of the General Assembly with a view to launching a global campaign to eradicate poverty,[2]

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[1] Report of the World Summit for Social Development, Copenhagen, 6-12 March 1995 (United Nations publication, Sales No. E.96.IV.8), annexes I and II.

[2] See General Assembly resolution S-24/2, annex, sect. III, para. 155.

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Reaffirming its commitment to promote a coordinated and integrated follow-up to and implementation of the major United Nations conferences and summits,

Having considered the note by the Secretariat on a global campaign for poverty eradication,[3]

1. *Decides* to keep the matter under review in the context of its work on coordinated follow-up to major United Nations conferences and summits;

2. *Invites* the Secretary-General to report to the Council in 2002 on this matter.

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**Coordination, programme and other questions:
reports of coordination bodies**

Draft decision submitted by the Vice-President of the Council, Mr. Ivan Šimonović (Croatia) on the basis of informal consultations

Annual overview report of the Administrative Committee on Coordination

The Economic and Social Council, having considered the annual overview report of the Administrative Committee on Coordination:[1]

(a) Invites the Committee to ensure that the reform of its subsidiary machinery strengthens inter-agency bodies and processes which have specific mandates from intergovernmental bodies, particularly those related to the coordinated implementation of outcomes of United Nations conferences and summits, as well as those adopted by the Economic and Social Council and the General Assembly;

(b) Encourages the Committee to keep the Council informed on its reform process, and decides to defer its further consideration of the report of the Committee and the proposals contained therein to its resumed session.

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Themes for the high-level and coordination segments of the substantive session of 2002 of the Economic and Social Council

The Economic and Social Council decides to adopt the following themes for the high-level and coordination segments of its substantive session of 2002:

High-level segment

The contribution of human resources development, including in the area of health and education, to the process of development

Coordination segment

Strengthening further the Economic and Social Council, building on its recent achievements, to help it fulfil the role ascribed to it in the Charter of the United Nations as contained in the United Nations Millennium Declaration

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